

Bull Town Bulletins

By
Bill Ellis



IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED a paycheck this year, then you no doubt are aware by now that your Social Security taxes have taken another jump.

Oh, it's not a tremendous increase, where percentages are concerned....only 7.8 per cent more than the tax had been in 1980. But, it's the overall growth of Social Security taxes in the past 20 years which should concern taxpayers, who face the prospects of being taxed right out of their paycheck, if the trend continues.

That little "insignificant" tax of 20 years ago has grown until it is far from insignificant, and according to the tax experts, this increase is far from over.

Back in 1960, just 20 years ago, the Social Security tax amounted to only about one per cent of your income--and you paid the tax only up to \$6,000 of your annual income, or a maximum amount of \$144.

Ten years later, the maximum amount of Social Security tax had tripled--to \$405 per year, and the maximum income limit had been increased to \$7800. Workers, by 1970, were paying just over 5 per cent of their wages to Social Security taxes.

If you have detected a substantial growth pattern in the Social Security tax structure, consider that for 1980, the 6.13 per cent tax was levied on not \$6,000, and not \$7800, but \$25,900!

The insignificant tax, whose maximum amount had been \$144 in 1960, had grown to \$1588 in 1980, and will grow again, to \$1975 in 1981. This is an increase of just less than thirteen hundred per cent in the past 21 years, and even inflation has not grown at this staggering rate.

Tax experts say the Social Security tax rate will rise to 6.7 per cent in 1982, and to 7.15 per cent by 1986. And, the maximum amount paid by an individual will jump to \$2,171 in 1982.

Back in 1960, when some of us began to work full time, and were paying the \$144 per year in Social Security taxes, we might have thought that for a 40-year period of working, we would have to pay \$5760 in FICA taxes.

Only halfway through our 40-year period, we now have to revise this estimate slightly, and it now stands at roughly \$56,000--ten times what the tax started out to be!

And, for the worker just starting out, if you make as much as \$29,000 a year and pay the maximum of \$1975 a year to the Social Security system, you perhaps could expect, over a 40-year productive working period, to pay out \$79,000 into the system.

That would be, naturally, if there were to be no more increases in either the tax rate, or its maximum base. Taxpayers have had no such luck with this premise during the past ten years or more, and more than likely, the next 40 years will be little different.

WE ARE PLEASED to see the schedule which has been worked out with the doctors from Parmer County Community Hospital, to staff the Bovina Medical Clinic three afternoons each week.

This would appear to be a good method to keep the clinic in use, and if public support is good, we understand that the Friona doctors will keep the program going indefinitely.

And, from what we hear, the initial response was good, and residents are enthused about the new set-up.

The first radios were installed in automobiles in 1922. They were converted home models and could only be played with the engine off. Reception was terrible. Another item in the radio trivia file might explain that: One form of antennae for early cars was chicken wire under the floor liner.

History Book Will Feature Businesses

The Parmer County Historical Commission met Thursday, January 8 for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Judy Cotton held a seminar at 10:30 a.m. on the departments of the Parmer County history book.

At noon a snack was served by the recording committee. At 3 p.m. the group reconvened for the monthly meeting. Paul Fortenberry, Lloyd and Betty Louise Rector, Jinx Sneed, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Floyd, Linda Black and Nora O'Brien were welcomed to the group.

Judy Cotton is the sales representative of the Craftsman Printing Company, Lubbock. She also represents the Taylor Publishing Co. of Dallas.

"At present we are stressing the business history section of the history. We plan to give each business establishment in Parmer County the opportunity to enter its own history. These are to be written by the business owner or by someone he designates to write it, so it will contain exactly what he wants in the book."

"Our county development and growth depend upon and reflect the business of our county. Some volunteers will be calling on each establishment soon. All business history is purchased space, so there will be some cost. This helps pay for the free section of the book," said Grace Whitefield, chairman of the book project.

"We also have a need for our local artists to volunteer some of their talents to our project. Pen and ink drawings are used to illustrate, to divide departments, and to emphasize events. We hope our artists will come up with some unique, different and interesting ideas that will make our book outstanding. We cannot guarantee that all entries will be used."

Firemen Name New Officers

The Bovina Volunteer Fire Department met on Monday, January 12 to elect new officers for the new year.

The new officers are: James Ritchie, Chief; Weldon Moody, Assistant Chief; Bruce Caldwell, secretary-treasurer; Ronnie Sudderth, Captain No. 1; Raymond Rocha, Captain No. 2; Pat Kunselman, Lieutenant No. 1; Randall Ritchie, Lieutenant No. 2; Larry Mitchell, training officer; Mike Spears and Chip Grissom, custodians; and Odis White, cook.

This year the Fire Department has added a new training program. They will have a continuing year round training program to better the department in case of any emergency that might occur.

"The Fire Department needs more members. If we fall under twenty members it affects the key rate to all Bovina citizens. We have a lot of interest among the members," says Bruce Caldwell. "The department has purchased new cylinders and manifolds for filling air packs. Before purchasing these we had to take the air tanks to Friona to have them refilled. The department has obtained two new air packs, now each truck has four," added Caldwell.

Cotton Count: 59,119

Bales of Cotton had been ginned in Parmer County as of Thursday, January 8, 1981.

but we urge those who can, to help us on this phase," Mrs. Whitefield said.

Those interested in memorials and tributes are asked to get them in as soon as possible.

"By sending your book order, pictures and payments in with your stories you facilitate the ledger work and save lots of time," Mrs. Whitefield said.

"Let us all determine to make our county book as complete as possible," she concluded.

Below is an order blank.

First Baby Honors For Bovinian

The first baby born at Parmer County Community Hospital for 1980 was Miss Sabrina Gonzales. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gonzales of 200-9th Street, Bovina.

Sabrina was born at 3:39 p.m. Saturday, January 3. She has two older brothers and two older sisters. They are Edward, 17, Jesse, Jr., 15, Sandra Ann, 14, and Gena, 12.

Grandparents of the new baby are Ben Martinez of Clovis and Ramona Jimenez of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gonzales of Plainview.

Mrs. Gonzales said that her oldest daughter, Sandra, was born on July 4th, and that she has a sister who was born on Easter, so that "special" births are not a rarity in their family.

CAC Starts Energy Aid

The Parmer County Community Action center is now operating the Heat Energy Assistance Program.

Families now receiving assistance through Supplemental Security Income, Aid for Dependent Children, and food stamps will be receiving a check, through the mail, from this program, sometime in January.

Other low-income people may obtain information on this program at the Bovina Center, 105 N. 2nd St., or call 238-1366. Applications are now available.

The Parmer County Community Action Center Advisory Board will be holding its annual community meeting Thursday, January 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Room of the First State Bank of Bovina.

The purpose of the meeting will be to receive input from the community and to elect five advisory board members to fill the vacancies of five members who will be terminating their terms in January. All who attend this meeting, and register will be eligible to vote.

All Parmer County C.A.C. meetings are open meetings and all people from Parmer County are cordially invited to attend.

Friona Doctors To Man Clinic

Doctors from Parmer County Community Hospital will devote three afternoons per week to the Bovina Medical Clinic.

Dr. Bob Alexander will man the clinic on Monday afternoon; Dr. Paul Spring, Wednesday afternoon; and Dr. Lee Spring, Friday afternoon.

Hours for the clinic will be from 1:30-5 p.m. The doctors prefer appointments, so they can bring the records from Friona with them. Appointments can be made by calling Friona, 247-2754.

Each doctor will bring his nurse from Friona and Gloria Leal will be the receptionist during these hours.

The new number of the clinic is 238-1251.



FIRST BABY....Sabrina Gonzales was the first baby born at Parmer County Community Hospital for 1981.

Her mother, Mrs. Jesse Gonzales holds her newborn, who was not particularly impressed by the occasion.

ASCS Gives Tips To Protect Cotton Payments

Parmer County cotton farmers were given tips this week by Prentice L. Mills, County Executive Director of the ASCS, concerning ways they can protect their payment yields.

"This message is for all cotton producers; and, especially the farm operators. The farm operator is the person who can do the most to maintain a farm's cotton program yield," Mills said.

As the yield for each farm is established on the basis of actual production of cotton from the farm,

it behooves the farm operator to make certain that the yield records for the farm are correct. As the operator of a cotton farm, there are two very important things for you to remember to do. These are:

(1) When you take your cotton to your gin, make certain that the ginner knows which farm it came from. Look at your account sheet and make certain that it shows your name (operator), the name of owner of the farm and be certain that the ASCS Farm Number is shown on the

ginner's account sheet for that farm.

DO NOT allow your ginner to list cotton for more than one farm on one account sheet. As soon as all the cotton from one of your farms has been ginned and marketed, bring your settlement sheets (or copies of them) to the ASCS office in order for us to record the necessary information. We will keep these documents in the farm file.

(2) If the cotton yield for your farm is below average due to adverse weather (wind, hail, rain, etc.) or other circumstances beyond your control, you (the farm operator) should report this to the ASCS office and also report to us just what you did in attempting to produce a normal crop of cotton on the farm.

"Your County Committee has the authority to adjust the cotton yield on your farm and they are eager to help you as much as they are permitted to by law; however, they cannot help you unless you furnish them with the information (facts) they need to work with," Mills says.

"One thing more--If the acreage of cotton you harvest from a farm is different from that you reported earlier, be sure and let us know about this. Any person having any question as to the procedure for protecting their cotton yield, should contact their local ASCS office," he concluded.

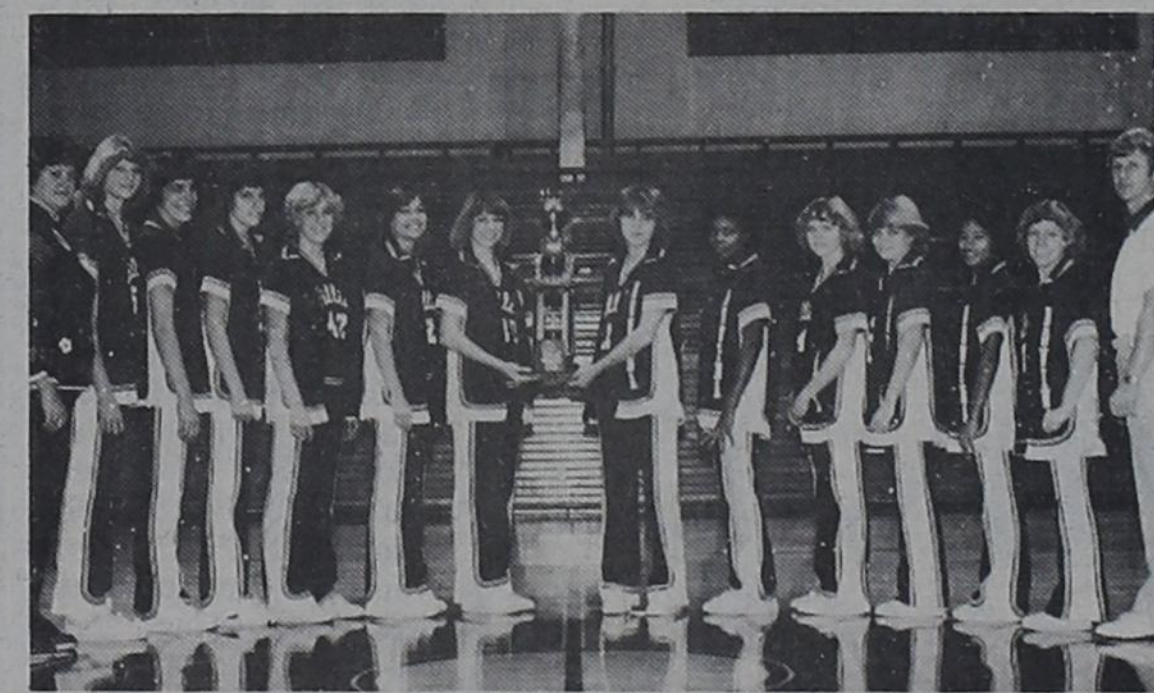
JCs Set Safety Program

Bovina Jaycees will present a child safety program to kindergarten through sixth grade students on Friday, January 16 starting at 1:30 p.m.

This program is given through the National Child Safety Council and sponsored by these Bovina businesses: Bovina Supermarket, Charles Oil Co., Sherley Grain Co., Bovina Wheat Growers, Riverside Chemical, Agri-Sprayers, Inc., Bovina Pump Co., Inc. and Bovina Gin.

The program covers every item of safety such as falls, poisons, fires, all kinds of bites, playground safety, bicycle safety and covers safety tips at home and at school.

The Jaycees are giving the program in coordination with Ted Appman, Bovina's City Marshall.



CONSOLATION TROPHY.... Bovina's Fillies brought home the consolation trophy from the Phillips Tournament. Left to right, Kena Arthur, assistant coach, Lynnette Bentley, Karen Schilling, Lisa Schilling, Fonda

Griffin, Pam Spring, Kathy Williams, Stacey Whitecotton, Lisa Shepherd, Randee Cupit, Jeanna Richards, Juanita Serna, Karen Hughes and Coach Paul Topliff.



BOVINA'S MUSTANGS.... Participated in the Phillips Tournament last weekend and took fourth place. Members are Coach Cliff Neal, Jon

Riddle, Ed Chisom, Charlie Trimble, Ricky Shepherd, Lynn Read, Harvey Shepherd, Lee Reyna, Richard Shepherd, Dale Turner and Joe Wright.

REFLECTIONS From The Blade

25 YEARS AGO--JAN. 11, 1956

Cost of tying onto Bovina's new sewer system was discussed at the January meeting of the city commission of Bovina. Work on the sewer disposal plant is nearing completion. Twenty-seven houses were built in Bovina in 1955, according to a report compiled by Roy Fuller, assistant water superintendent of the city. In addition, the Bovina School building was completed and four new business buildings were constructed, including one gin, and six old houses that were vacant became occupied.

The Bovina Fillies brought home the first place trophy from Farwell's invitational tournament by defeating three strong opponents--Lazbuddie, Vega and Farwell.

20 YEARS AGO--JAN. 11, 1961

The highway department's new building on East Highway 86 in Bovina is slowly taking shape. Unfavorable weather conditions have hampered construction.

Bovina High School seniors have received a compliment. Mrs. R.B. Tucker, school counselor here and at Farwell, says the class has been graded "considerably above" national average. This was determined by nationwide achievement tests given to senior students.

Charlotte Hromas and Kay Looney, the Bovina Starlighters, won first place in ensemble division of the talent show at Muleshoe. Mrs. John

Wilson accompanied the girls at the piano.

15 YEARS AGO--JAN. 12, 1966

Bovina voters will decide Saturday on a \$100,000 bond election which, if it carries, will provide water system improvements, more paved streets, and long-term financing for major city facilities and equipment.

Jake Jacobs began his new duties as principal of Bovina High School this week. Jacobs came here from Tahoka where he was elementary principal and high school athletic director.

Parmer County friends of Sheriff Charles Lovelace will honor the veteran law enforcement official with an appreciation night January 27. Sheriff Lovelace, who will have served 20 years in the office when his present term expires in 1968, will be presented an engraved watch in the Bovina School auditorium. A reception will follow in the school cafeteria.

10 YEARS AGO--JAN. 13, 1971

Temperatures were the main item of conversation in Bovina last week as the extreme cold affected most people in the area. Near zero temperatures and high winds plunged the chill index to 46 below zero with

snow and ice covering the ground and streets in Bovina.

A water pipe in the ceiling of St. Ann's Parish Hall burst during the cold spell, flooding the building with about four inches of water.

A wire on a main distribution line contracted in the zero weather, snapping in two at a point where it had been spliced creating a city-wide blackout for about 30 minutes.

5 YEARS AGO--JAN. 14, 1976

Gaylon Rhodes was re-elected fire chief of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department at a regular meeting Monday night at the fire station.

Billy Tipton of Lubbock has been declared winner in the 1975 county-wide pheasant tailfeather contest, topping a Farwell entry by a mere one-sixteenth of an inch.

Rhonda Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhodes, Jr. of Bovina, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Lubbock Christian College for the fall semester of 1975.

Allsup's To Head Drive

Allsup's Convenience Stores, Inc. will be sponsoring a neighborhood drive in support of United Cerebral Palsy. All area youngsters are encouraged to visit their local Allsup's store Saturday, January 17 and Sunday, January 18 to pick up a collection envelope. After collecting donations for Cerebral Palsy and turning it back into the store, Allsup's will give them a free fountain drink of their choice.

"We hope all the children of the area will help us make this telethon more successful than ever before," said Kurt Verlei, Director of Public Relations for Allsup's Convenience Stores. "Cerebral Palsy is an injury to the brain that can never be cured. We feel that money raised will go a long way in helping the Cerebral Palsied lead a more normal life."

Horn Named FCIC Agent

Federal Crop Insurance Corporation is proud to announce the appointment of Ken Horn as agent for Parmer County.

Horn will sell and service FCIC policies on cotton, grain sorghum and corn beginning with the 1981 crop year, according to Carey Johnson, District Director for this area.

Anyone having an interest in the above named crops can learn how FCIC protection will fit into their farming operation by contacting Horn at P.O. Drawer G, Bovina, Texas, 79009, for an appointment, Johnson said.

Teams Win Trophies At Phillips Meet

Bovina's Mustangs and Fillies team copped the consolation trophies in the Phillips tournament this last weekend with both teams losing one game and winning two.

Thursday morning the Fillies met the undefeated Sanford-Fritch team losing by 20 points, 54-34. Fritch had good outside shooters and made good moves under the basket. The Fillies stayed close during the first quarter but Fritch pulled away and stayed out of reach the remainder of the game. Karen Schilling was top scorer for the Fillies with eleven points and Barnes had 14 for Sanford-Fritch.

Friday the Fillies got on a winning track with a 46-32 win over Vega. Fonda Griffin was first to put two points up for the Fillies. Kathy Williams paced the fens with 16 points and Lynnette Bentley followed with 12. Briggs had 10 for Vega.

The Fillies wrapped up the consolation title with a 52-42 win over the Booker Kiwas. The Fillies were slow in getting started, not scoring until midway of the first quarter when Lynnette Bentley's jump shot from the free throw line put two points on the board for the Fillies.

The first quarter ended up a close 11-9. After the first quarter the Fillies had charge of the game being 20 points ahead of Booker during the final quarter. Lynnette Bentley tossed in 15 points for the Fillies and Godina had 33 for the Kiwas.

The Mustangs played Sanford-Fritch for the first game of the tournament losing 59-87. The Ponies scored the first two points, but couldn't get the ball through the goal again until 2:60 remained in the first quarter when Harvey Shepherd's jump shot put two more points up for the Mustangs.

Harvey Shepherd was top scorer for the Ponies with 24 points and Boyd had 28 for the Fritch Eagles.

Harvey Shepherd also paced the Ponies with 24 points against the Wheeler Mustangs, Friday morning. The Maroons were victorious over Wheeler, taking the win 71-54.

The Maroons took charge of their

final game of the tournament, winning 58-40 over Lefors to take the consolation trophy.

The Ponies were in command throughout the game as they were ahead 15-6 at the end of the first period of play, and at the halfway point had almost doubled the opponents score, 31-16.

Harvey Shepherd again was high scorer with 25 points. Monty Basket had 10 for Lefors.

Lynnette Bentley and Harvey Shepherd were chosen on the all-tournament team. They received individual trophies for this honor.

STATISTICS

GIRLS				
Bovina	12	14	27	34
Sanford-Fritch	16	28	43	54
K. Schilling 11; L. Shepherd 8; L. Bentley 6; K. Williams 4; K. Hughes 2; J. Serna 2; P. Spring 2.				

BOVINA	12	26	33	46
Vega	6	15	21	32
K. Williams 16; L. Bentley 12; K. Schilling 11; F. Griffin 3; P. Spring 2; R. Cupit 1.				

BOVINA	11	23	41	52
Booker	9	19	27	42
L. Bentley 15; K. Williams 10; Lisa Shepherd 9; F. Griffin 9; P. Spring 4; K. Schilling 3; J. Serna 2.				

BOYS				
BOVINA	12	28	42	59
Sanford-Fritch	20	41	66	87
H. Shepherd 24; E. Chisom 14; Richard Shepherd 10; Ricky Shepherd 7; D. Turner 3; L. Read 1.				

BOVINA	19	34	50	71
Wheeler	14	24	35	54
H. Shepherd 24; Ricky Shepherd 16; Richard Shepherd 13; E. Chisom 10; L. Reyna 4; C. Trimble 3; L. Read 1.				

BOVINA	15	31	41	58
Lefors	6	16	32	40
H. Shepherd 25; E. Chisom 10; L. Read 9; Richard Shepherd 8; Ricky Shepherd 6.				



MARK ENGLANT

FFA News

By BRET WHITTEN
Reporter

Featured this week is Mark Englant. This is Mark's first year in FFA. He is pictured with two pigs he is planning to show in the upcoming shows. The Chester White is named "Chester" and the cross is named "Arnold."

Mark is 14 years old and is the son of Floyd and Anna Lee Englant. He has lived in Bovina all his life. He has seven brothers and four sisters.

FFA and Vocational Agriculture give Mark the opportunity to learn to do something that will help him in later years, he stated. He won third place in the Creed Contest this year.

Mark enjoys working with many kinds of animals. He also likes to ride horses and snow ski.

There is a great deal of activity both at the Ag Farm and at the homes of many FFA members. The FFA members are weighing animals and beginning to prepare them for the shows that are scheduled in the near future.

Goat Assn. To Meet Jan. 24

The West Plains Dairy Goat Association will meet January 24 at 8 p.m. at the Tri-County Savings and Loan in Muleshoe, Texas in the community room at the back of the building.

Anyone interested in dairy goats is invited to attend.

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By Ace Reid



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January 19 Is Special Day For Texans

Texans in over 200 counties will gather at high noon on January 19 in pilgrimages to historic sites and official markers commemorating the roles of Texans in the Civil War.

January 19 has been designated by the Legislature as Texas Confederate Heroes Day, a time for a special observance honoring soldiers, civilians, and officials who distinguished themselves during this period of conflict.

Speeches, memorial services, wreath-layings, graves and marker decorations and other activities will be conducted at the locations of military and naval installations, manufacturing plants, scenes of battles and skirmishes and other significant sites. A number of these locations recognize activities of Federal Forces within the State.

An educational poster honoring the public service of 20 outstanding Texans in the Civil War will be displayed in schools, museums and other prominent places.

This Heritage and Pilgrimage Day is one of ten to be sponsored annually by the Texas Heritage Project, a joint endeavor of the Texas Historical Foundation and the Texas Historical Commission. Local chapters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and the 254 County Historical Commissions are also sponsors.

Mrs. W.R. Knowles of Houston is coordinating the statewide activity. Hugh Moseley is Parmer County's Historical Commission Chairman.

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Youngster Is Featured Gospel Singer

Featured singer with the "Faith Promise" is Holley Amber Ellison, who sings solos with the family group.

The group consists of former Bovinians, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ellison, son Craig and daughter Holly, Vickie Faye and Betty Hawkins.

The group sings gospel songs and entertains at all types of functions in the Metroplex area.

Holley Amber is the six-year-old great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison of Bovina, Mr. and



HOLLEY AMBER ELLISON

Mrs. A.R. Jester of Lawton, Oklahoma, Mrs. Roby Vaughan of Mineral Wells, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison of Price, Utah, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins of Mineral Wells, Texas.

Tax Rep. Sets Visit

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that Kay Doggett from his Lubbock field office will be at the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell on Wednesday, January 21, from 2:30-3:30 p.m.

A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the Courthouse every third

Wednesday of each month.

Bullock urged anyone with problems or questions concerning state taxes to contact Ms. Doggett at the Courthouse in person or call the Lubbock field office at (806) 795-0691. A toll free number (1-800-252-5555) is also available to Texas taxpayers.

Nineteen Students Make Honor Roll

High School Principal, Kenneth Gauntt, released the third six weeks honor roll for students in Bovina High School.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

ALL A'S

Seniors--Karen Hughes, Laurie Miller, Darla Morris, Karen Schilling, Pam Spring and Kathy Williams.

Juniors--Steven Pruitt, Jeanna Richards, Carey Ruszenas and Wendy Sherrill.

Sophomores--Clara Koelzer, Robbie Moody, Griselda Ortiz, Lisa Schilling, Patti Sherrill, David Villarreal, Bret Whitten and Karl Willard.

Freshmen--Stephen McClaran.

ALL A'S AND B'S

Seniors--Alan Castanuelo, Fernando Cruz, Fonda Griffin, Diann McKillip, Janette Soliz and Dale Turner.

Juniors--Toya Hutto, Jacque Howell, Catherine Koelzer, Kay McClaran, Teresa Quiroga, Lee Reyna, Mark Teague and Mary Meza.

Sophomores--Andy Alexander, Beverly Barrett, Lynette Bently, Joe Black, Kenny Carrell, Lucy Duran, Velina Dutton, Dale Gilbreath, Wendy Hall, Greg McClaran, Jon Riddle, Jeff Steelman and Joe Pat Wright.

Freshmen--Mark Clayton, Randee Cupit, Mark Englant and Stacey Whitecotton.

Bridal Shower Set Saturday

A wedding shower honoring Lana Turner, bride-elect of John Pruitt, will be held Saturday, January 24, from 2:30-4 p.m. at the Community Center of the First State Bank of Bovina.

Hostesses are Suezy Smith, Esta Lee Lide, Shelby Rhodes, Darlene Smith, Nellene Spicer, Bonnie Derrick, Nita Dale, Edna Estes, Shirley Garrison, Sue Barrett, Alice Stone, Juanda Murphy and Anita Guest.

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Read II Peter 3:19

The Lord is . . . not willing that any should perish,
but that all should come to repentance.—II Peter 3:9

FOR most people, the goodness of God is hard to
understand. They cannot understand the existence of a
being so good, so powerful, so loving.

Since ancient times such disbelief on the part of man
toward God has not changed. When the apostles were
doing their work, other men, stained and soiled with sin
and following their own desires, made fun of the preach-
ing of the gospel and caused trouble for the believers.

However, the apostles and other believers could not be
frightened. By the insight of the Holy Spirit, they knew
that God uses patience toward people, waiting for their
repentance. Without repentance and faith, man is not
capable of believing in the mercy of God.

We can all rejoice that man's rebellion against his
Creator has never changed the Father's love and redem-
ptive plan. Each day God stretches out His hand to the
rebellious people that we are. Let us believe in His
goodness and respond favorably to His divine call.

PRAYER: We thank Thee, O tender Father, for seeking
us while we still were rebellious. Lead to Thy fold
those who are still far from Thee. For Jesus' sake.
Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
How great God's goodness toward us!

Victor Valcin (St. Marc, Haiti)

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass-Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
CCD-After Mass Sunday
Confession: Sunday, 8-8:25 a.m.



Rev. Ronald McGovern

MISSION BAUTISTA BELEN

Escuela Dominical-9:45 a.m.
Mensaje-11:30 a.m.-Union De
Pre Preparacion-5:30 p.m.
Miercoles Estudio De La Biblia-
7:30 p.m.



Rev. Guadalupe Silva



BEN MCCAIN

Ben McCain To Present New Series

Even though it's been decades since Hopalong Cassidy, Gene Autry and Roy Rogers galloped across television screens and rode into the sunset, the desire to be "cowboy" is even more popular than ever.

These days it's not only little boys that want to play cowboy. The fashionable look for most everyone is the Western look, complete with feathered cowboy hats and designer cowboy boots. But there's a lot more to being a cowboy than dressing like one.

Beginning Monday, January 5, Action 4 (Oklahoma City) reporter Ben McCain goes looking for "The Real Cowboys" in a series of NEWS-BREAKER Reports at 5 p.m. on KTVY's new hour-long newscast.

In this five-part series, Ben finds there may be more than one kind of real cowboy--from the man who still makes his living punching cattle on an Osage County ranch to a rodeo cowboy from Bronx, New York.

Along the way Channel 4 viewers will meet a Texas cowboy who spends more time with his guitar than a six-shooter and an internationally known Oklahoma City eye surgeon who rides the range in the operating room and on the dance floor.

McCain is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Les McCain of Bovina.

Principal Releases Honor Roll

The High School Semester Honor Roll was released this week by High School Principal Kenneth Gauntt.

Students making All A's were: Seniors--Karen Hughes, Laurie Miller, Darla Morris, Karen Schilling, Pam Spring and Kathy Williams.

Juniors--Steven Pruitt and Jeanna Richards.

Those having All A's and B's were: Seniors--Dale Turner.

Juniors--Carey Ruszenas, Wendy Sherrill, Toya Hutto, Catherine Koelzer, Teresa Quiroga, Mark Teague and Mary Meza.

Sophomores--Robbie Moody, Griselda Ortiz, Lisa Schilling, Patti Sherrill, Bret Whitten, Karl Willard, Andy Alexander, Kenny Carrell and Dale Gilbreath.

Freshman--Randee Cupit and Stephen McClaran.

Four Make Jr. High Honor Roll

Herman Connor, Jr. High Principal, released the Junior High honor roll for the third six weeks.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

ALL A

Seventh grade--Blake Scaff.

Sixth grade--Jonathan Gauntt, Tracy Moore and Homero Renteria.

A AND B

Eighth grade--Misti Boozer, Tommy Hutto, Kathy Moore, Tami Nabors, Casey Riddle and Paul Topliff.

Seventh grade--Holli Clayton, Irma Garcia, Donnell Garner, Allan Griffin, Kim McClaran, Georgia Manceni, Alfredo Marquez and Beling Ortiz.

Sixth grade--Mindy Neal, Todd Schilling, Leanne Bentley, Robbie Stowers and Anna Villarreal.



We feel very fortunate having the Friona doctors come to the Bovina Medical Clinic three afternoons a week. This may be the best solution anyone has come up with to serve the medical needs of Bovina people. The new number of the Bovina Clinic is 238-1251.

NEWS AROUND TOWN...

Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Elliot enjoyed having their daughter Inell Salman of Albuquerque, New Mexico visiting during the holidays and Inell's daughter Rhonda Little of Muleshoe and her children.

Maesie Flynn, her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Cummings of Hereford visited her nephew Jimmy Cummings and family of Whittier, California.

They also spent time sight-seeing in Phoenix, Arizona and the Salt River Canyons which in Maesie's opinion is even prettier than the Grand Canyons.

The group went to Palm Springs, California and visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Burns in Hayford, California.

Maesie and her sister and brother-

Baby Girl Born To Local Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Spears are the parents of a daughter, Sarah Ellen, born Thursday, January 8 at 7:41 p.m. in West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe.

She weighed nine pounds, nine ounces and was eighteen and one-half inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Branum of Portales and Wayne Spears of Bovina.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Violet Gillenwater of Memphis, Texas, Mrs. Ollie Yeager of Lubbock and Mrs. Jewel Branum of Amarillo.

Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



in-law were gone three weeks before returning home.

Our deepest sympathies to Pat Sherrill in the loss of her brother, Roland "Slick" Clem who passed away last Saturday at his home in Tahoka. He was survived by his wife, one son, three sisters and two brothers. Clem also had two grandchildren. Services were held in Tahoka Monday of this week.

Mark, son of Sandra and James Clayton, underwent an appendectomy last Sunday morning at the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford. There is a possibility that Mark will be coming home early in the week.

We want to congratulate Mike and Lisa Spears on the birth of their first child, a little girl born last Thursday in the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe. She weighed nine pounds, nine ounces and has been named Sarah Ellen.

We also congratulate Judge Wayne Spears on the birth of his first grandchild.

Carissa Caillouet and son Donnie of Menomena, Wisconsin has been in Bovina with Carissa's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Engant. They came the first of January and will be here visiting family and friends until the 29th.

Carissa's husband Don is the manager of a sprinkler system in Menomena. The Caillouets moved to Wisconsin last November.

Carolyn Weston and children Josh and Cayce of Kermit have been in Bovina visiting family and friends. Carolyn is the daughter of Ruby Davies. They came last Thursday and left Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Hair attended funeral services this week in Wellington for Fred's four-year-old great nephew. The youngster died of cancer.

Linda Vaughn and her friend Tanya of Lubbock were in Bovina visiting with Linda's family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moody. The girls came Saturday afternoon and left Sunday.

The Weldon Moodys visited last Friday with Lavonia's mother, Mrs. Tom Terrell of Plainview.

Bess Rea came home from the hospital last Thursday. She was in the Friona hospital for several days after she fell on New Year's Eve and cracked a vertebra in her back. I talked with Carl Tuesday of this week and he said she is in a brace and will have to wear it from three to six months.

Bess has always been an inspiration to me and to those who know her.

IRS Postpones New Ruling

Congressman Kent Hance (D-Tx.) announced that the Internal Revenue Service has postponed until May 31, 1981 implementation of a ruling that would have adversely affected banks, local governments, and municipal bond markets.

"If implemented, this IRS ruling would have been devastating," Hance said.

Revenue Procedure 8055 stated that no bank would be allowed to deduct interest it pays on negotiated time deposit accounts of governmental units if the bank uses tax exempt issues as collateral to secure those deposits.

"The banks in Texas," Hance said, "have traditionally strongly supported the Texas municipal bond markets primarily because of the public fund pledging requirements and the high quality of Texas municipal bonds that have been established over the years."

Hance said he expects both the IRS and the Ways and Means and Banking Committees of the House to hold hearings on this issue prior to the May 31 implementation deadline.

School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF JANUARY 19-23

MONDAY--Roman Holiday, buttered corn, Ranch Styles beans, cornbread, apple cobbler, roasted peanuts and milk.

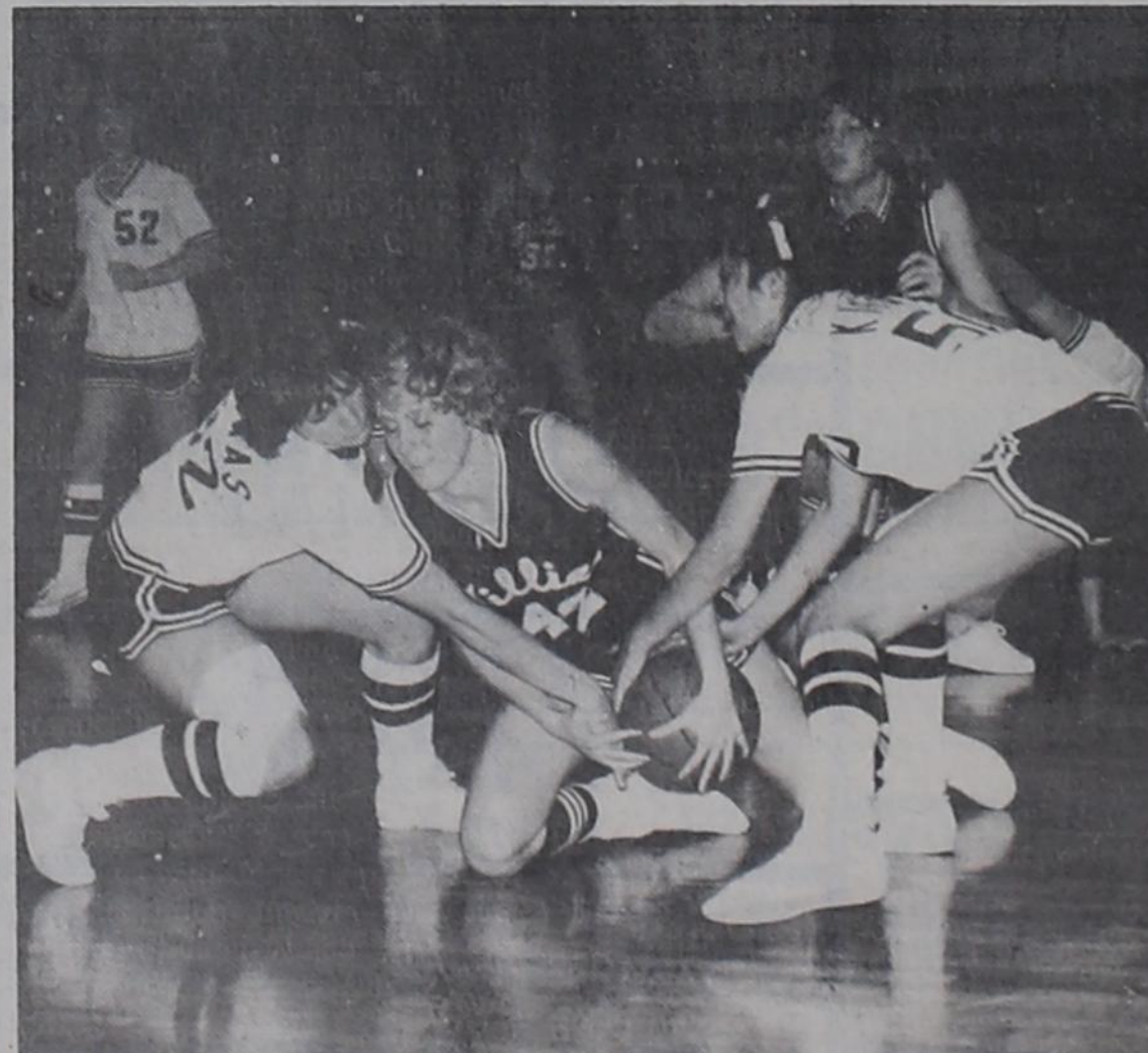
TUESDAY--Sausage, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, fruit Jello and milk.

WEDNESDAY--Corn dogs, baked pork and beans, cabbage slaw, whole wheat rolls, pears and milk.

THURSDAY--Barbecued hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, pickles, onions, mustard, apricot halves and milk.

FRIDAY--Tuna pie, English peas, buttered corn, hot rolls, butter, sliced peaches and milk.

The idea of motorized transport fascinated but baffled inventors for centuries. Even the great Isaac Newton couldn't solve the problem. Sometime in the late 1600's, after figuring out the mathematics of the Law of Gravity, Sir Isaac designed a jet-propelled steam carriage. Unfortunately, it would have required operating speeds in excess of 700 miles an hour, somewhat impractical for the muddy roads of the time, so the idea was shelved.



ROUND BALL SCRAMBLE.. Fonda Griffin scrambles after the ball in the tournament at

Phillips, in the game with Booker. The Fillies won the game 52-42.

Nothing ever gets her down. She always seems to smile and joke around, no matter what. Anyway we hope she gets along real well.

We were unable to get in touch with Kelli Mitchell's family but understand the recent surgery on her eye went real well. She had surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock a couple of weeks ago. She is the daughter of Larry and Donna Mitchell.

Jimmie Clements underwent surgery in Lubbock recently and we understand everything went well and he is supposed to be released early this week.

George Douglas entered the Parmer County Community Hospital but I talked with his pastor Tuesday of this week and he said George is now a patient in the Hi-Plains Hospital in Clovis. I was unable to contact the family.

Have a good week and thank you for your help on the Scoops.... Scooter.

Three WTSU Students Make Honor Roll

More than 700 students at West Texas State University are listed on the honor roll for the 1980 fall semester.

The Dean's List names 651 students. To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must have been enrolled in at least 12 semester credit hours and ended the semester with a grade point average of 3.25 and higher on a 4.0 scale.

The President's List includes 140 students who have maintained grade point averages between 3.85 and a perfect 4.0 for 12 semester credit hours at WTSU.

WTSU's fall enrollment totaled 6,559 students.

Listed on the Dean's honor roll from Bovina are Cindy L. Cook, Dianna L. Naegle and Julie D. Owen.

Reception Set

Mr. and Mrs. Printes Pruitt and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Turner would like to invite you to the wedding reception of John Pruitt and bride-elect Lana Turner at 5:30 p.m. Friday, January 16, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Printes Pruitt.



Bride Shower Honoring
Sandy Sides

Bride-Elect Of Ken Schlauholdt

Saturday, January 17
From 2-3:30 P.M.

Community Room

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Lana Turner

Bride-Elect Of John Pruitt

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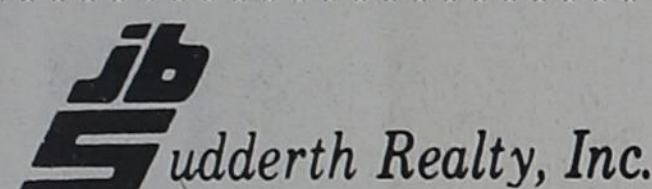
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Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Pablo Brito, Bovina; Rose Longoria, Lazbuddie; Lucy Brito and baby boy, Bovina; Eustolia Legarreta and baby girl, Friona; Beulah Whaley, Friona; Jan Emerson, Friona; George Douglas, Bovina; Juan Guzman, Bovina; Randy Davis, Farwell; Beatrice Villa and baby girl, Friona; Anna Morales, Hereford; Guy Sanders, Friona; Wanda Cantu, Texico; Grady Dodd, Friona; Lisa Jilek and baby boy, Clovis; Amelia Galvez, Hereford; Joni Coleman and baby boy, Friona; Leticia Carrasco and baby girl, Hereford; Salvador Saladana, Friona; Martin Rivera, Friona; Emily Bara, Friona; and Sharon Holmes and baby boy, Hereford.

DISMISSALS--

Porfirio Yzaguirre, Cirilia Dennett, Elba Estrada, Ricky Berkley, Bessie Rea, Mariana Trejo and baby girl, Alicia Gonzales and baby girl, Lucy Brito and baby boy, Thelma Hutson, Francis Arredondo, Eustolia Legarreta and baby girl, Nelson Welch, Rosa Longoria, Guy Sanders, Wanda Cantu, Anna Morales, Jan Emerson, Randy Davis, Lillie Grisham, Beatrice Villa and baby girl, Ray Landrum, Amelia Galvez, Juan Guzman, Salvador Saladana, Martin Rivera, Emily Bara and Pablo Brito.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL—
Beulah Whaley, Grady Dodd, Joni Coleman and baby boy, George Douglas, Leticia Carrasco and baby girl, Sharon Holmes and baby boy, Cirilia Dennett, Glenda Thigpen, Lisa Jilek and baby boy.

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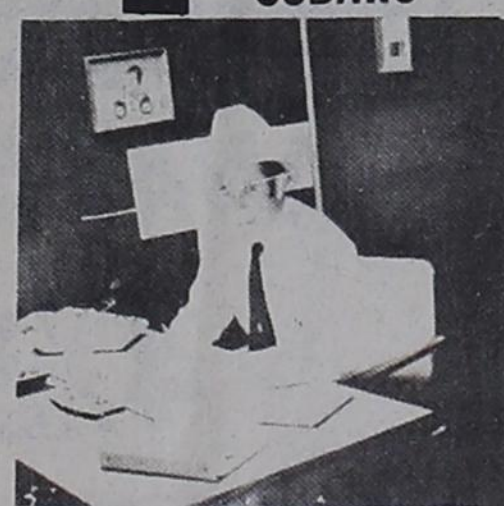
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JV Teams

Set Action

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The J-V girls will meet Amherst at 3:30 p.m. Thursday. The J-V boys will also meet Amherst at 5 p.m. Thursday winners will play the winner of Hart-Springlake-Earth at 6 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Friday. Losers will play the losers of the same at 3 and 4:30 p.m. Friday. Other teams entered in the J-V Tournament are Kress, Sudan, Littlefield and Farwell. Finals are set for 6 and 7:30 p.m. Saturday.



City Hosts Tournament

Bovina will host a Junior High tournament this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 15, 16 and 17. Beginning time will be 8 a.m. Thursday with Bovina seventh grade girls against Farwell.

Bovina's seventh grade boys will play Farwell at 9:15 Thursday morning. The last game scheduled to begin at 4:45 p.m. Thursday.

Friday's games will begin at 8 a.m. continuing until 4:45 p.m.

Saturday's games will start at 1 p.m. with the championship girls game starting at 3 p.m. and boys championship at 4:45.

Dist. Play Underway

Bovina's Varsity and Junior Varsity teams started the district season, Tuesday night, January 13 (last night) as they traveled to Kress to take on the Kress Kangaroos.

Friday, January 16, Bovina will host Springlake-Earth in the second district game of the season, starting at 7 p.m. with the varsity girls.

The varsity teams have played 14 games apiece in pre-season round ball action. Both teams have 11-3 records going into District 3-A action.



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CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Bovina	Parmer	Texas	79009
STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DIST. NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
1980	11	December 31, 1980	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks			4 308
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection			None
3. U.S. Treasury securities			190
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations			199
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States			1 032
6. All other securities			2 250
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell			5 573
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$4563.) (From Schedule A, Item 8)			None
9. Lease financing receivables			79
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises			None
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises			None
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding			63
13. All other assets			13 694
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)			
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations			6 506
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations			5 032
17. Deposits of United States Government			48
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States			720
19. Due to banks			None
20. All other deposits			198
21. Certified and officers' checks			12 504
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)			7 022
a. Total demand deposits			5 482
b. Total time and savings deposits			None
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase			None
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money			None
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable			38
26. Unearned discount on loans			None
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding			None
28. All other liabilities			12 542
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)			None
30. Subordinated notes and debentures			129
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses			
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 2400)			240
33. Certified surplus			430
34. Undivided profits			353
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves			None
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)			1 023
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)			13 694

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT
Stephen N. Sherrill
AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO. 806-238-1442
DATE SIGNED 1-7-81

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT
Stephen N. Sherrill
V. P. & Cashier
We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
S. F. Trimble
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
Jane Kassahn
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
Jack L. Kassahn

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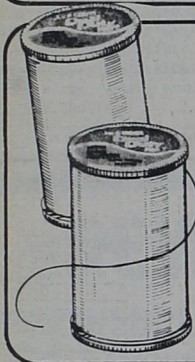
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